## HAVE MONEY TO BURN ELECTROLYSIS OF WATER PIPES

WOODMEN DO NOT KNOW WHAT TO From the New Orleans Times-Democrat. DO WITH \$3,700.

Five Plans Have Been Proposed for Its Disposition, but the Hewers of Wood Cannot Agree

to them and a money maker and saver as well.

These plans will be thoroughly discussed Tuesday night and a decision arrived at, if possible.

A prominent member of the order said yesterday that he believed the plan to make an individual division of the money would be adopted. "The amount that will be paid to each subscriber," said he, "will, of course, be small, but to many it will be a source of satisfaction. When the average man gets his money back he generally is pleased. The object of the committee is to please the greatest number and that is why I say I believe the individual division plan will be adopted."

Men were suddenly left without water. In such places the work of patching is continual, but there is never any telling when the trouble will break out in a new spot.

CONSIGNED TO THE GRAVE.

With the Dead—This Tendency, However, Is Growing Less.

From the New York Sun.

As a rule not much jewelry of value is buried with the dead. In the case of women the jewelry buried with them is likely to be confined to a plain gold ring, which

NOT FOR POLITE SOCIETY.

The Girl at a Reception Who Expressed Her Dislike of Divorce
Had an Uncomfortable Time.

Prem the Philadelphia Record.

A most embarrassing experience was that of a certain West Philadelphia young woman, who, a few evenings ago, attended a reception in which a number of well known clubwomen participated. It so happened that among these there were several who had found the matrimonial yoke an unwelcome one for various reasons, and had obtained legal separation from their husbands. To one of these ladies quite unwittingly, having just been introduced, the young woman, who is nothing if not vivacious and conversational, addressed the question: "By the way, Mrs. R—, don't you think divorce is wrong; The lady, reddening slightly, replied: "My dear, there are two sides to that question." Perhaps you have not heard my story. The questioner, embarrassed beyond measure, stammered an excuse and walked way. To the first woman she met she confided to a plain gold ring, which in the case of a wife would be her wed-ding ring. It might easily happen that this would be the only ring worn at the time of death; other rings having been taken from the fingers because the wearing of them might have been a source of discomfort to the wearer. On the other hand, it might happen that the rings could not be easily removed. In such a case the rings would be left on the fingers and burled with the body.

The wedding ring is not always buried. Sometimes the husband desires to keep it; in some instances, if there are children in the family, it is given to the oldest grown up daughter. Other rings buried with the dad would be most commonly some plain bands valued as a gift or a keepsake or for some dear association. Sometimes a diamond ring might be buried for a similar reason, perhaps with the diamond turned dinward, showing only a plain band upon the finger as the hand lay across the body in the casket.

But while such is the prevailing practice, with constantly increasing observance, it is not invariably followed. ure, stammered an excuse and walked away. To the first woman she met she confided her trouble, saying: "Oh, dear, I have just made a most unfortunate remark. You know Mrs. R.—? Well, I spoke to her about divorce, and she's divorced, you know." "So am I, my dear," was the smiling reply, and once again the young woman wished that the floor would open under her. She felt so bad that she

## DAME CONSCIENCE STRONG.

A Man Insists Upon Paying a Street Car Debt-The Conductor Is Prostrated. From the Peoria Star.

Prospect heights street car line, is just recovering from a case of what was almost nervous prostration, brought on by the discovery of an honest man.

Yesterday a man got on Sylvester's car and offered him 10 cents instead of the regular fare. He refused to accept it, and told him that the regular fare was but 5 cents. The man insisted on him taking it, as the last time he had visited the city he had ridden on the road, and at the time the conductor had forgotten to collect his fare. He said that he was anxious that the street car company should not be beaten out of a fare and asked Sylvester to turn it in to the company. He turned it in, but the shock was more than his system could stand, and he was forced to hire off until he could recover. covering from a case of what was almost

THEY SAY THIS HAPPENED.

At Any Rate It Makes a Good Story and the Boy Thought it Was Fun.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer. A well dressed, middle-aged woman was alking past the Seventh Avenue hotel on Monday, with her coat thrown care-lessly over her arm. A boy, with a basket, whose gaze was everywhere but the direction in which his feet were going, was approaching. The boy and heavy basket collided with the woman and the coat. They rebounded with the force of the impact, and the crash of breaking glass rang out. The spectators of the collision saw a broken bottle on the pave-ment and the pungent flavor of "old Bourbon" assalled their nostrils. The woman walked forward rapidly, her face afame, while the fiendish boy danced on the curbstone and shouted: "Come back and get your whisky. There's some left in the bottle." on Monday, with her coat thrown care-

## Started New Hair

Hon. John H. Gardner, member Wyom ing State Legislature from Beulah, Crool Co., in letter dated February 20, 1899, to the

Sutherland

says: "According to agreement made in Salt Lake City, if your preparations proved a benefit to my hald head, I was to send you a testimonial... There is a fine growth of new hair started. Am not troubled any more with dandruff and that annoying itching of the scalp. I had tried everything I could hear of before I saw you, but received no benefit. You can use this if you wish. Please send me half-dozen bottles."

We have thousands of testimonials qually as strong. All hair and scalp roubles readily succumb to these meritori-Sold by dealers everywhere.

An Industrial Problem That Puzzles the Entire Engineering World.

"Electrolysis constitutes one of the very greatest industrial problems of the present day," said Guy M. Gest, of Philadelphia, the conduit expert, who superintended a large part of the recent work in New Or- Railroad Commissioners' Report o "I refer to its action on underground piping, particularly water mains. It is threatening scores of water systems through the country with total destruction

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on One.

The Woodmen of Kansas City are confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by a financial problem that is cause the confronted by the proposed at the confronted by the proposed solving the problem of the financial problem that is cause the problem of the financial problem that is cause the problem of the purpose of solving the problem to the confronted by the representatives of the six camps for the purpose of solving the problem, but success has not attended their efforts. Another meeting will be held at the confronted by the representatives of the six camps for the purpose of solving the problem, but success has not attended their efforts. Another meeting will be held at the confronted by the problem of the confronted by the proposed of the financial problem that is caused the problem of the purpose of solving the problem of the confronted by the proposed of the confronted by the problem of th

chains of value have been buried with the dead, but not often. Costly jewelry has been thus buried, but this is seldom done: commonly such jewelry as may be buried is simple and comparatively inexpensive. There might be left upon the finger some ring that had been specially dear to the dead, and that he had wished to keep always.

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Besides the rings there might be buried besides the rings there might be buried various other articles of more or less value, for which a special attachment had been formed, or that the dead had requested should be buried with them. Still, not much jewelry of value is buried after all, and the tendency is to bury less and less.

## IT IS TRUE, NEVERTHELESS. The German Empress Keeps Twelve

Dressmakers at Work on Her Gowns. From the Cincipnati Enquirer.

Few persons who have seen the German empress would believe that she spends money extravagantly on her dress, yet she is said to keep twelve women constantly employed on her wardrobe, under the supervision of a maid of honor. When about to take a journey that involves some special ceremony, she employes forty dressmakers, and when she attends a wedding the empress requires fifteen new gowns.
For state occasions court gowns are made
in Vienna. These are so long that the trains
have to be carried to enable the empress o walk, and are frequently studded with ewels. The rule at the German court makes it impossible for the empress to appear twice at the state functions in the appear twice at the state functions in the same costume, and much of the work done by the twelve dressmakers is in making alterations so that the rule may not be broken and the dresses may have a different look, even though they are in reality the same. The empress, when in full dress, wears many jewels. Some of these are the property of the crown. But she has some beautiful gems given to her by the emperor at their marriage, and a beautiful collection of pearls left to her by the late Empress Augusta. Empress Freidrich is most economical in matters of dress, and so are the majority of women who come to the German events. At the so-called "schieppe cour," or "train court," which corresponds to a presentation in England, the costumes are not brilliant. The most necessary thing is a train of satin of a certain length. Some of these trains appear to have been in use for years, and they are fastened on to various dresses, which do duty from time to time at the drawing rooms of the empress. same costume, and much of the work done

Got the Tiger by the Tongue. rom the Amrita Bazar Patrika.

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A regular hunting tragedy took place at Myaungmya a few days ago. A farmer of the neighborhood was visited by a huge tiger which killed one of his cattle and ate part of it. Two Christian Karens of the place, Shan Gyi and his brother-in-iaw, Kyaw Ya, both known as intrepid huntsmen, set out for the spot where the partly eaten calf was still lying, armed with no other weapon than an old gun. They erected a small platform, on the top of which they awaited the animal. Soon after the tiger made his appearance, and, not seeing the hunters, was about to partake of a hearty dinner when Shan Gyi fired and bowled him over. The brute, however, got up again and retired slowly. The two hunters followed quickly, and, when near, Shan Gyi pulled the trigger, but the gun missed fire. He quickly put in another cartridge, but before he had time to fire the beast was upon him and knocked him down. Kyaw Ya, though unarmed, sprang upon the animal, which turned upon him and mauled him. Kyaw Ya managed to seize the animal by the tongue and held on firmly. Shan Gyi, thus released, although severely wounded in several places, tried to cut the tiger's throat with a small knife he had, but failed. He then clubbed the animal with his gun, but the weatpon was soon smashed. It is impossible to say how the connest would have ended had not some men who had heard the report of the gun come on the scene and despatched the tiger. The two brave hunters were then taken to the Myaungmya hospital, where they now are in a rather bad state. Their ilves, however, are not despaired of.

STILWELL MISSOURI LINES IN VERY BAD SHAPE.

Inspection From Quincy to Iowa State Line-Condition of De-

ctal designation.

The board to-day adopted the report of General Manager H. S. Reardon, and ordered by the board to have the following repairs made between now and December 1 1999.

All defective bridges as indicated in re-port hereto attached must be repaired and rebuilt: All rotten ties, broken and unsound ties must be replaced.

All defective cattle guards must be re-Roadbed must be surfaced and ail cuts

roperly ditched.

We desire to notify you that the commissioners will insist on a strict and prompt compliance with the above order, a failure to comply with which will necessitate such action by this board as is authorized by law.

We would further recommend that as soon as practicable, all embankments that We would further recommend that as soon as practicable, all embankments that are narrow and washed be strengthened. That the fences be rebuilt. That stock pens be put in proper order for the accommodation of shippers and fa-cilities for loading stock be afforded. That all main line switches be replaced by modern split switches,

Cryptic Masons Special.

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The Burlington route has been selected as the official line by the Crytic Masons for their grand tour of Colorado. A special train will leave Kansas City August 6 at 10:40 a. m. and will arrive the next day at Denver, at 7:10 a. m., and Colorado Springs, 10:40 a. m.

From Colorado Springs the train will proceed the same day to Pueblo, and then on through the magnificient Royal Gorge and Grand canon to Salida. The night of the 7th will be spent in Salida, and early the next morning the train will again be taken over Marshall pass, through the Gunnison country. Black Canon. Montrose to Colorado on August 9 to Colorado on August 3.

Returning from the sightseeing tour, the Masons will proceed with the interesting ceremony that attracted them to Colorado Springs. Thursday, August 16, has been selected as Pike's Peak day, and on that day the ascent of the mountain will be made.
At Denver, the party will break up and ing.

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CINCINNATI, O., July 29.—Arrangements are now under way for taking the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern road out of the hands of the receivers, Messrs, Harmon & Robinson, and the property will be turned over to the reorganized company at midnight next Monday.

The articles of incorporation of the new company are about prepared and will be filed either to-day or Monday.

The reorganized company will be known as the Baltimore & Southwest Railroad Company. The name is the same as the corporate name of the present company, except that the word railroad is to be used instead of railway.

The directors of the new company and officers will be elected next Monday. E. R. Bacon will be the president and W. M. Greene, vice president of the reorganized company. Both gentlemen are at head-quarters here now. General B. R. Cowen, the special master commissioner, who recently sold the property at the foreclosure sale, has executed and delivered the deed to the purchasers who represent the reorganization committee.

Oklahoma, Okmulgee & Southern.

GUTHRIE, O. T., July 29.—(Special.)
The Oklahoma, Okmulgee & Southern Railroad Company has been chartered with a capital stock of \$2,000,000. The road is to run from Arkansas City, Kas., through Kay, Noble and Pawnee counties, in Oklahoma, and the Kansas and Osage Indian reservations to a point on the St. Louis & San Francisco near Red Fork, in the Creek nation; thence southeast via Twin Mounds and Okmulgee, in the Creek nation, to McAlester, in the Choctaw nation. The estimated length is to be 300 miles. The directors are Gaunt Crebs, of Kansas City; C. H. Kimball, Parsons, Kas.; Jacob Pickens, Neosho, Mo.; George Signor, Shreveport, La., and Horace Speed, Guthrie, O. T. Oklahoma, Okmulgee & Southern

Missouri Pacific Extension. WEBB CITY, MO., July 29.—(Special.)
"There is no longer any doubt but that
it is the intention of the Missouri Pacific
Railway Company very soon to extend its
ine from Joplin to Galena, Kas., a distance of eight miles, thereby connecting its
line with the Galena and Empire lead and
zinc miles." These are the utterances of zinc mines." These are the utterances of a well known gentleman to-day. He added that he knew what he was talking about and that the company had long held the extension in abeyance, but had now concluded to act in the premises without further delay in order to get its share of the business from the rapidly increasing output at those two places.

Santa Fe Appointments.

WELLINGTON, KAS., July 29.—(Special.) A circular has been issued from the Santa Fe general offices, announcing the appointment of D. B. Bailey, now trainmaster of the middle division at Emporia, as superintendent of the recently established Panhandle division, with headquarters in this city. The appointment to be effective August 1. A. Sherwood, foreman of the company's roundhouse here, has been appointed master mechanic of the new division, effective the same date.

Santa Fe Extension.

South M'ALESTER, I. T., July 29.—
(Special.) B. W. Klernan returned from Okmulgee to-day and reports that the Santa Fe graders are at work eighteen miles north of Okmulgee. This is a branch of the Santa Fe running from Caney, Kas., to Denison, via the South McAlester coal fields. The railway is endeavoring to have trains running into Okmulgee by the middle of October.

"Katy" Applications Returned. SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., July 29.— (Special.) Some time ago the Missouri, Kansas & Texas rallway made applica-tion to the secretary of the interior for idditional grounds at Muscogee for stock

AMONG THE RAILROADS yards and reservoir purposes. The secretary has just rendered a decision deciding against the railway company, and returned the application indorsed "unapproved."

AND NO THE VERTICAL TARREST TO A SECTION STORY

Burlington Earnings. CHICAGO, July 29.—Net earnings of the Burlington road for the month of June were \$461,763, an increase of \$432,784 over the net earnings of the same month last year. The net earnings for the fiscal year closed June 30 were \$6,478,794, an increase of \$326,601. During the year, freight earnings decreased \$1,272,588, passenger earnings increased \$1,272,588, passenger earnings increased \$1,315,976, and the total gross earnings of the road increased \$389,262. DR. PERIN WILL READ YOUR FU-

Switch Shanty Secrets.

Effective August 2, the rate on potatoes from the Kaw valley to Galveston and Houston and points taking same rates will be 47 cents per 100 pounds. J. H. Brinkerhoff, son of J. O. Brinker-hoff, general superintendent of the Kansas division of the Union Pacific, has been ap-pointed superintendent of the Leavenworth, Kansas & Western. Appointment to take effect August 1.

The official notice of the appointment of Thomas W. Lee as general passenger agent of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western was received in Kansas City yesterday. Mr. Lee will have charge of the passenger, milk, express and baggage business of the line. The Detroit, Rochester, Romeo & Lake

Orion railway placed on record yesterday at Detroit to secure an issue of twenty year first mortgage bonds to the Union Trust Company, trustee, a mortgage of \$900,000 covering its entire system from Royal Oak to Rochester and extending to Romeo and Oxford, a total of forty-four Sioux City railway men claim to have assurance that President James J. Hill, of the Great Northern, will be a bidder at the foreclosure sale of the Sioux City Terminal Railway and Warehouse Company's

properties August 2. The Great Northern has been manifesting a disposition for some time to include Sloux City in its territory The Port Arthur route has issued its folder for August, giving the time tables and other information regarding the country through which the road passes. The with no provisions for water in many of them, and facilities for loading stock sadly lacking.

The depots from Trenton to Pattonsburg are new and comfortable while those on the other parts of these roads, need overhauling, and recovering and a few need rebuilding.

The import of President J. J. Hill's visit The import of President J. J. Hill's visit to South Dakota this week is being discussed by railroad men. Before leaving for Huron, Mr. Hill is reported to have stated that if the Milwaukee persisted in its plan to get to the head of the lakes, the Great Northern would do some extensive building in the Milwaukee's rich territory in South Dakota. In other words, he does not intend to allow the Milwaukee to invade the Eastern Minnesota territory, north of Minneapolis, without retailation.

when the "Kaw Valley" special pulled into Union depot last night the regular employes of the Union depot hustled themselves to tell the crowd the way to the waiting rooms, and the detectives stirred themselves to see that the passengers were not made victims of confidence men. They all looked so easy. They were neither grangers, hayseeds nor mugwumps, but Kansas City soliciting freight agents that had been in the valley soliciting shipments of potatoes. Bob Campbell, of the "Katy." led the van, and just as he entered the depot an old Arkansaw traveler approached him and asked "fer a chaw of "backer." Bob gave one look at the man and then started on a dead run for a barber shop and had six days' growth sheared.

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The improvements that are being made to the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad between Parkersburg and East St. Louis are being pushed rapidly to completion. Seventeen thousands tons of eighty-five pound steel rails have been placed in the track, and there are still 25,000 tons to come, delivery being delayed on account of rush of orders at the milis. The company has also put in 125 miles of gravel ballast and expects to get out 200 miles more during the season, and it is hoped by fall that the track will rank as the best in the West. A great many grade reductions and changes in line are also being made between Cincinnati and St. Louis. The purpose is to make a uniform one-half of 1 per cent grade between Cincinnati and St. Louis, as well as to eliminate a large amount of objectionable curvature. At one point, for instance, the line is to be shortened a mile and a half, 300 degrees of curvature eliminated and seven bridges abandoned. and had six days' growth sheared.

Kealia plantation, Kauai. The water has regular variations in its flow, being lowest at 8 o'clock in the morning, gradually ris ing until it attains its greatest flow at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and then as grad-ually failing until 8 o'clock in the morn-

Manager George H. Fairchild, of the plantation, thus describes the peculiar phe Manager George H. Fairchild, of the plantation, thus describes the peculiar phenomenon:

"The top of the pipe is thirteen feet above sea level. At eight feet there is a flow of about 1,000,000 gallons in twenty-four hours. By adding five feet more of pipe the flow stops. We have had this extra five feet of pipe on top of the well for a month or more, waiting for extra pipe to conduct the water to the mill, where it is to be used. We have noticed a peculiar action of this column of water, and I have been unable to find any explanation of it. If the publication of the facts will lead to an explanation I will be very much gratified.

"The column of water in this five feet additional pipe placed to prevent the flow at 8 o'clock in the morning is at its lowest point one and one-half inches below the top of the pipe. Then it rises until at noon it begins to flow over the pipe. The flow increases until 2 o'clock, when there is quite a flow. From that time it gradually falls, until at 11 o'clock at night there is a very slight flow, and this ceases at 1 o'clock in the morning, the water gradually falling until it reaches the lowest point, at 8 o'clock, when it begins to rise again. "It has been suggested that this change in flow is due to the tides or to the rotation of the earth or to the influence of the sun. It is interesting and I should like a satisfactory explanation."

Representative McCandless says regarding this phenomenon that in his experience where an artesian well is influenced by the tides the water never rises above sea level.

### VIA THE BURLINGTON ROUTE. \$19.00-To Denver, Colorado Springs

and Pueblo-\$19,00. For the Cryptic Masons' meeting at Col-orado Springs, tickets will be sold August 5th, 6th and 7th, good returning August 31st. Shekinah council No. 24, of Kansas City, HAS SELECTED THE BURLINGTON ROUTE FOR THE OFFICIAL MISSOURI TRAIN, and will LEAVE KANSAS CITY SUNDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 10:40
A. M., VIA BURLINGTON ROUTE.
All Masons and their friends who are going to Colorado should join this party. A
special trip will be made to interior Colarado points.

For sleeping car reservations and detailed
information, write or call upon Geo. W. HAS SELECTED THE BURLINGfor siegning cat calculation and detailed information, write or call upon Geo. W. Shipley, chairman transportation committee, Sheidley building, or C. W. Alexander, city passenger agent Burlington Route, 823 Main street.

Afraid of Cyrano's Nose.

From the Dublin Independent A delicate sense of beauty is an deficate sense of beauty is admirable in man or woman at most times, but when it is the motive of one's personal self-complacency it may become ridiculous. Mr. Charles Wyndham's predicament is awkwardly near the laughable. He has elected to stage, and act the title role of "Cyrano or the complex parts." wardly near the laughable. He has elected to stage, and act the title role of "Cyrano de Bergerac," but cannot make up his mind to wear Cyrano's ugly nose. Mr. Wyndham had intended to produce an English version of M. Rostand's romantic play at Glasgow in the early autumn, but Cyrano's nose has so obtruded upon the handsome actor's dreams that, unable to bind himself down to the grotesque realism of the character, he has abandoned the autumn tour in order to make up his mind as to whether Cyrano's obtrustive appendage shall or shall not spoil his habitual beauty when the play is produced in London. Mr. Wyndham has gone down into the country, meanwhile, where he proposes to saturate himself in the poetry and romance of the character, and to make up his mind whether or not he will wear the cocked nose. It would be better for his reputation, his peace of mind, and his pocket not to produce the play without the probosels of Cyrano.

Dogs That Never Bark. There are three varieties of the dog that never bark—the Australian dog, the Egyptian shepherd dog and the "llon-head-ed" dog of Tibet.

TURE IN YOUR PALM.

Achieving Great Success at the Omaha Exposition-Thousands

of Palm Impressions Are Being Sent In.

During the past week Dr. Carl Louis Perin, the world renowned palmist, who is conducting the Temple of Palmistry at the Greater American exposition at Omaha has continued his reading of the hands of the officials of the exposition and is now more fully convinced than ever that the exposition will be a grand success. A short time ago there were two new members added to the executive committee of the exposition, and a reading of their aplms show that the choice was well made, for both of these men have rare business abil ity and executive talent. Mr. F. A. Nash. one of the new members of the executive committee, is a railroad man of wide experience, and Dr. Perin predicted for him the greatest of success in his connection with the Greater American exposition.

Mr. Nash's hand shows him to be a man who, when he sets his shoulder to the wheel of any enterprise never backs down until the goal is reached and the success he started out for has been accomplished 1899 is for him a lucky year ful in all his undertakings.

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Mr. W. F. White, the other new member of the executive committee, has a hand that also shows him to be a man of rare business ability and executive qualities, and to be one who does not know defeat in any enterprise which he undertakes. These two new members are bending all of their energies to make the exposition a success in connection with the other members of the committee and general officers of the exposition, and Dr. Perin says that a better lot of men were never selected for responsible pesitions in the history of the country.

Dr. Perin has also read the hand of Mr. Jay Burnes, the superintendent of concessions at the exposition, and of Mr. Burnes he has the following to say:

"Mr. Burnes occupies one of the most difficult positions at the exposition, and his hand shows him to be the one man in 19,000 who could carry his department to a successful termination. He is one of those men who are capable of dealing with all classes of people and of holding the respect and honor of all with whom they come in contact. He shows splendid business

classes of people and of holding the respect and honor of all with whom they come in contact. He shows splendid business ability and also shows that he is a man capable of stopping the small leaks in an expense account as well as of financiering a large enterprise. If the midway attractions at the exposition are not a success and are not carried on in an honorable manner, it will not be the fault of Mr.

Thousands of Letters Received.

the superintendent of conces

Every mail that comes to Omaha brings to Dr. Perin thousands of letters from this section of the country and the answering of them, in conjunction with his personal readings at his Temple of Palmistry, makes him one of the busiest men on the exposition grounds. While he was in Kansas City last spring he was visited by thousands of the citizens of this city, and when he left he thought he had read nearly all of the hands of the believers in palmistry here, but during the last two weeks he has come to the conclusion that he was mistaken, for his mail from Kansas City is exceptionally heavy, and he is daily reading the hands of hundreds of people of this city who are sending their impressions to him.

Dr. Perin says that Kansas City is one of the healthiest cities that he ever had the pleasure of visiting, and that those who

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Dr. Perin says that Kansas City is one of the healthiest cities that he ever had the pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptional pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptional pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptional pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptional pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptional pleasure of visiting, and that those who were born and bred here are booked for exceptionally long lives, while the bands of nearly all of the rising generation of Kansas City people show them to have exceptionally good business instincts, patriotism and ability in all lines that go toward making up first-class citizens. Commencing this week Dr. Perin advertises a new system of mail reading, whereby any one who wishes to know but one thing may have their wish gratified by sending in their question with an impression of their hands and 10 cents. The advertisement will be found in another column and will pay the reading thereof, as it is intended to reach all classes and to accommodate those who heretofore have been unable to consult this famous palmist on account of the price of \$1. This offer will last but a short time, and those who wish to take advantage of it should be quick to grasp the opportunity and do so at once.

## BURLINGTON ROUTE SPECIALS.

Round Trip Excursion Rates. Pittsburg, Pa., \$36.40; good to October 31. Omaha and return, \$5.89; good going Sat-urday, return Monday following. Pittsburg, Pa., \$23.90; July 31st and Au

gust 1st; good to return August 15th Buffalo, N. Y., and Niagara Falls. Rate, \$39.75; good 30 days; round trip. Boston, Mass. Rate, 57.00, round trip, until October 31st.

Portland, Me., \$57.00; good to October 31st Harvest excursion, one fare plus \$2.00, on August 15, September 5 and 19.

Tourist rates to St. Paul, Alexandria Minn.; Charlevoix, Petoskey, Mackinac and all other Northern resorts. Diverse routes via lake and rail. For detailed informa-tion call on or address city ticket agent, \$23 Main st.

How the Horses Died. Frederic Remington, in Harper's Weekly.

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Having reached the firing line, many officers left their horses tied to the brush on the sands of San Juan river. Baggage and gun mules were turned loose and stood stupidly about. There was a constant tweet of bullets coming through the trees from the Spanish position. One horse caught three almost in a bunch; another passed through him, and he lay down on his side, panting desperately. A big gun mule lay on his side gasping, and another horse sat down like a dog, giving every evidence of great pain. A ball out the skin of a mule's knee, but he only stamped the leg as though to get rid of a trouble-some fly.

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the leg as though to get rid of a troublesome fly.

The thing about it which was strange to
me was that the horses which were untouched seemed sleepy—they gave no evidence of excitement except a slight pricking of the ears toward the hill. One almost wondered if they suspected that
things were not right. Even blood, which
was all about on the sands, from horses
and men, did not have its general effect
of scaring them.

Why do not horses die for their country? They do not have a previous intention of so doing—the act is not voluntary.
Well, possibly. Neither does a conscript
die voluntarily, or a man put war stamps
on checks voluntarily but it's for the country just the same. A mule does more work
for his country and more suffering than
a man. It also takes more revenue stamps
to keep him going. But why speak of these to keep him going. But why speak of these things? It is sufficient to know that all soldiers respect and honor all mules.

A New Color.

From Spare Moments. From Spare Moments.

The stage manager of one of the Glasgow theaters was well known for his impetuous and hasty temper.

On one occasion a drama was put on in which a snowstorm occured. Some men were sent up into the files with brownpaper bags filled with little pieces of white paper which they let fall to represent the snow. Suddenly the shower stopped.

"Whaur's your snaw?" roared the irate manager. manager.
"We hae nae mair white paper," came a loud whisper from above.
"Then snaw broon, ye fools, snaw broon,"
was the manager's response.

From the Philadelphia North American. Binks—"What in the name of common sense have you got that big fireproof vault n your kitchen for?"

Bumpff—"To prevent our cook from being ost, strayed or stolen while my wife is rusticating."

Blew Himself Off.

Bentley—'How did Larkins meet he death? When we left him last night be seemed unusually jolly."

Vosburgh—'He tried to blow out the electric light in his room and burst a blowessel."

CAN'T BE BEAT. CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS, BURLINGTON ROUTE.

## ALL FOR TEN CENTS This Cold Weather



has its advantages as well as its disadvantages-it's a regular snap for the ice cream and soda water man, and the summer girl; the ice man also gets in his work. It's also a big snap for the man who wants to buy good clothing cheap. It's a regular picnic for him. For instance, we feel that we've got to make some very warm prices to bring' trade out this weather. Clerks are here-might as well use 'em. Goods are heremight as well turn 'em into cash. That's the way we figure. This store is always on the move-isn't satisfied to stand still. So to-day, as an inducement for you to come down town, we offer a line of

\$10 Men's Suits for \$7.50

These are good suits and the same quality can't be bought elsewhere in town for near the same money.

# THE W.W. MORGAN

Clothing Company.

THE NEWS AT LEAVENWORTH. Decision in Carney-Kierstead Case Delayed Another Week-Death

of Captain Mills. LEAVENWORTH, KAS., July 29.-(Spe cial.) A definite decision in the Carney-Klerstead contest was delayed anothe veek by the leave given Mr. Kierstead's week by the leave given Mr. Kierstead's counsel by Judge Myers, to make their petition more definite and certain. By the stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it of the stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it of the stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it of the stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it of the stand taken by Mr. Carney's attorneys it of the standard from the cradle to the grave. The work of Prof. La Page is unlike all others. Special reduced prices this week. Hours 9 to 9 daily and Sunday. Residence of the standard from the cradle to the grave. The work of Prof. La Page is unlike all others. Special reduced prices this week. Hours 9 to 9 daily and Sunday. Residence of the standard from the cradle to the grave. will be no nearer then, for the petition of Mr. Klerstead still lacks a bill of excep-tions signed by the counsel, and the Retions signed by the counsel, and the Republican councilmen will refuse to sign one as long as any procedure is pending in the district court, claiming that if the contest is before the district court, it is beyond their jurisdiction, while if it is still in their hands, it has not legally reached the district court. Mr. Carney's counsel holds that when a proper attempt is made to take the matter before Judge Myers in the district court, they will not interfere. If, however, the decision is against Mr. Carney it can then be taken to a higher court. ourt. The hearing to-day lasted an hour and

The hearing to-day lasted an hour and a half, and was an exciting one. An attempt was made by Mr. Klerstead's counsel to show collusion against his client on the part of the Republican councilmen. They were placed upon the stand, but five of them testified that no written agreement was entered into. Mr. Krekler refused to testify, and Mr. Kauffman testified that he had refused to sign an agreement, but that it had nothing to do with the contest. Captain Frank H. Mills, Twenty-fourth

Captain Frank H. Mills, Twenty-fourth United States infantry, retired, died at about 7 o'clock this morning at his home, Fourteenth and Shawnee streets.
Captain Mills was down town yesterday morning. Late yesterday afternoon he complained of a pain in the lungs. After a time he grew metter, and this morning was able to arise, and was about the house for a short time. Again feeling ill, he lay down and shortly afterwards expired. No arrangements have been made for the funeral, but the remains will probably be taken to St. Louis for cremation. taken to St. Louis for cremation.

Captain Mills was one of the best known citizens in Leavenworth. He stood high in Masonic and Pythian circles, and was a man of exceptional scholarly attainments, being a graduate with the degrees of A. B. and A. M. from Princeton, and a graduate in law from the Columbia law of A. B. and A. M. from Princeton, and a graduate in law from the Columbia law school. He was born in San Antonio, Tex., in 1849. In 1849 he graduated from Princeton and was the class orator. In 1872 he graduated in law at Columbia. The following year he received a commission as second lieutenant in the army from President Marketing and the proposition. second neutenant in the army from Presi-dent Grant. He received his promotion to a first lieutenancy in 1878 and was retired with the rank of captain in 1892, owing to disability from rheumatism contracted in Indian campaigns. He was wounded sev-

ral times. Captain Mills was a deep student of the drama and had several lectures on Shake-spearean dramas and kindred subjects, which were delivered before different litwhich were delivered before different literary societies of the city.

He was a past master of King Solomon's lodge, No. 10, A. F. and A. M.; a member of Leavenworth lodge, No. 22, Knights of Pythias; of the Order of Aztecs and of the Loyal Legion. He was also a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Captain Mills was married here to Miss Virginia Mills, daughter of Lafayette Mills. He leaves no children. Two sisters of the deceased live in Washington, D. C.

His Head Struck a Pole.

Conductor M. R. Smith, of the electric line, had a close call from death last night on the South Fourth street line. As he was walking along the footboard collecting fares, he leaned out to go around onto the rear platform of one of the open cars. At the same moment the car passed two poles the same moment the car passed two poles the same moment the car passed two poles. the same moment the car passed two poles close to the track and near together. Smith dodged the first but did not remember the second. It struck him on the head and knocked off his cap. He continued the run, but layed off to-day. He complained of a severe headache and a badly wrenched shoulder to-day.

Selecting Non-Commissioned Officers Selecting Non-Commissioned Officers.

The work of selecting the non-commissioned officers for the Thirty-second regiment has commenced and the warrants will be dated from August 1. There are now eight provisional companies formed. To-night there are thirty-five officers and 656 men of the regiment at Fort Leavenworth. There are enough recruits on the way here to make the number 725. Twenty-five recruits arrived this morning from Dexter, Mo., and eleven from Kahasa City. Pay rolls are being made out and pay day will probably be Friday or Saturday of next week.

Minor News Items.

The state taxes to be paid by this county amount to \$51,374.72. amount to \$51,374.72.

The Rothschilds will play the Leeds, Mo., nine at the park Sunday afternoon.

Arrangements are being made to hold a farmers' institute at Easton, August 24. There was an excursion of the Benevolent Society (colored) here from Topeka to-day. The county institute closed to-day with an enrollment of 83, the largest in five

years.

Margaret Kelly was to-day appointed administratrix of the estate of James Kelly, deceased.

It is rumored that the electric road is trying to purchase Wells' park, where it will erect a theater.

On account of the threatening storm last night only a few of the fireworks were displayed at the Soldiers' home. Those remaining will be added to the Tuesday night exhibit.

The remains of Frank Glass, who died

The remains of Frank Glass, who died at Topeka last night from injuries sus-tained by a fall from a window of the Crawford opera house there last Saturday, were brought to this city for interment to-day.

A piacard at the Y. M. C. A. to-day noti-fied the members that the present rooms would be vacated August I, and that the new home will be ready about November I. The gymnasium and locker room are be-ing dismantied. The transfers of the lots were recorded to-day.

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Jacob Metlier, who has resided here since 1874, died at his home, 118 Shawnee street, to-day, from the effects of paraiysis, which he had sustained for the past ten years. He was born in Switzerland in 1822. He came to America in 1845 and the years. He was born in Switzerland in day evening at the nome of aliss Margaret 1822. He came to America in 1845 and three years later located at Weston. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Fred Galnergan. He was a member of the Leavenworth lodge, No. 2.

A. F. and A. M. The funeral will be held from the residence Monday, and interment will be at Weston, under the auspices of Leavenworth lodge, No. 2.

Mr. Curtis Hill and Miss Flora Lewison, of Missoula, Mont., will wed September 1.

Mr. Hill is in Detroit. It will be the banney.

Passengers going East and wishing to avoid the incline to the Union depot can take the Santa Fe Route trains at Twenty-second and Grand avenue station. Best dining cars in the world; lighted by electricity.

Santa Fe Route ticket offices, northeast corner Tenth and Main sis., 104 Union ave., Union depot and Grand avenue station.

Mr. Hill is in Detroit. It will be the happy conclusion of a romance commenced when the young people attended college in this tity.

There will be an entertainment Monday night at the convent, in which a number of little people will participate. It will be a cakewalk and kindred amusements. The entertainment is under the auspices of the sisters of the convent.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. PROF. LA PAGE.

THE GREAT CLANRYDYANT.

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GO and see the new 10-room modern brick house, 298 Prospect ave., opposite Santa Fe place; finished in oak through-out; electric bells and exposed nickel plumbing; all modern conveniences. Open to-day from 3 to 7 p. m., and each follow-ing day from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Terms to suit F J. HARTLEY, 311 Junction bldg. WANTED-Good live men to sell land contracts; easily sold; good commission; good investment. JOHN A. DONIELSON, Room 5, Odd Fellows block, Kansas City, Kas.

WANTED-500 cases of skin trouble that have been pronounced incurable; no cure, no pay. C. W. CLODFELTER & CO., 64 N. Y. Life bidg., K. C., Kas.

FOR SALE, or will trade for horses, 2 good lots, worth \$250. W. H. BIGGER, 547 Minnesota ave., Kansas City, Kas. \$4,000 WILL buy 80 foot corner and 3 good houses on paved street. W. H. BIG-GER, 547 Minn. ave., K. C., Kas.

713 FOREST-Nice room with board for young men, in private family. Bath; best location; \$3.50 a week. FOR RENT-6-room house in good or-ier; cheap to good tenant. 315 West 25th.

617 E 8TH-Furnished front room on bath

INDEPENDENCE.

Contracts for Septic Tanks Let by the City Council at the Last

Meeting. Two contracts were let at the meeting of the city council held Friday night. These were the Spring Branch and the Forbis districts septic tanks. Back, Laird & Shaw were the successful bidders at \$2.500 each. The Rock creek and the Mill creek estimates were lower than the bids, consequently no contracts were awarded for these districts. There will have to be some changes made as to the specifications, it is said, before a contract can be let for these district tanks owing to the estimates besaid, before a contract cair be let for these district tanks, owing to the estimates being too low and the cost too great. The city council at this same meeting awarded a contract for the building of a calaboose, which luxury of the law has not been enjoyed for some time by this municipality. It will cost the sum total of \$350 and will have a capacity for ten men at a time. There will be a rock pile addition later on, as it is considered a necessary adjunct.

Church Services.

Miss Annie Langhorne and Mr. Will Ormsby will sing to-night at the Herst Presbyterian church. Miss Langhorne is soloist at the Troost Avenue M. E. church Kansas City and has an enviable reputation as an accomplished singer. Mr. Will Ormsby, the well known tenor, is also spending his vacation, being regularly engaged at one of the Kansas City churches. Prior to the evening service some choice organ selections will be rendered. The topic at this church for the morning service will be "Jonadab, the Honored Father." evening, "Mary Magdalene, the Loving Disciple." Everybody is invited and all seats are free. seats are free... Rev. Mr. Loucks will have charge of the

Rev. Mr. Loucks will have charge of the evening service at the Christian church. Mrs. Snyder will contribute a solo at this service and Miss Vernon will accompany her on a violin. At the morning hour the Rev. Mr. Vernon will take for his subpect the "Transfiguration."

At the Cumberland Presbyterian church, the pastor will take for his morning topic, "Man's Relation to God's Work": in the evening, "The Perfect Ideal of Life," Mr. Liewellyn Jones will render a solo.

Rev. Mr. T. W. Alton will occupy the pulpit of the Maple Avenue M. E. church both morning and evening. Miss Langhorne will sing a solo at the morning service.

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service.

The usual services will be held at the First M. E. church, with a revival in the

Possibly on account of the recent decision in the federal court relative to tax bills, there were no bids presented to the council Friday night as was expected. It was thought that some Kansas City contractors would bid on the work, but they did not. It is very likely that the work will go over for another year, if it is ever done. Citizens of this city are anxious to have the supreme court decision as soon as possible for it is evident that all municipal improvement in this city is stopped for a while, unless some nervy contractor concludes to bid on a sure thing.

Independence News Notes.

Miss Minnie Ward, of Marshall, Mo., is visiting her cousin, Miss Stella O'Daniel. Mrs. T. C. Creel was called to Fayette, Mo., yesterday by the illness of her mother. Andrew Rosewater, the hydraulic engin-eer, left yesterday for his home at Omaha. Mrs. Dr. Ware was called to Pleasant Hill yesterday by the sudden illness of her mother. Miss May Holloway, of Mountain Grove, Mo., is the guest of the family of George

Miss Myrtle Hills has returned hom from Rich Hill accompanied by her cousir Miss Grace Hicks. Miss Grace Hicks.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Schroeder is quite ill at the family residence on Lexington road.

Samuel and Locke Sawyer and Gordon

Samuel and Locke Sawyer and Gordon Scham left yesterday for Lake Miltoona, where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sale arrived home vesterday from Kentitcky, where they have been spending several months.

Charles Hagan, the erstwhile candidate for street commissioner, is now engaged in business at Perry, O. T., buying cartle. The Modern Priscillas will entertain Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Hocker. Invitations issued July 7 will answer for August I.

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